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Bill No.	HB 87

To: Senate Public Health Committee

From: Joy Bruck, State President AARP Montana

Re: Support HB 87

Mr. Chairman and members of the committee, I am Joy Bruck State President of AARP Montana, a non-partisan organization with approximately 155,000 members in Montana. We urge you to support HB 87. It will protect consumers by allowing the Commissioner of Securities & Insurance to review health insurance rates.

We would like the Commissioner to have the authority to reject rates that are determined excessive, inadequate, unjustified or unfairly discriminatory, but in lieu of having that authority, this is a good step forward.

Again, AARP Montana fully supports this HB 87. It is a good consumer protection bill. We ask you support as well.